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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Neal Solomon
For: System, Method and Apparatus for Information Collaboration Between
Intelligent Agents in a Distributed Network

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27
(independent inventor and small business concern)

Enclosed are:

- 107 Pages of specifications
- 16 Pages of claims
- 1 Page of Abstract
- 109 Sheets of drawings
- An oath executed by the inventor

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| Basic Fee | | | | \$370.00 | | | \$ 710.00 |
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